

Course title	Welding for Artists		
Synopsis (30-40 wrds) inc requirements	This is a fantastic, intensive three day workshop which will enable you to learn a variety of skills for working with metals. Over the three days you will make your own project to take home.		
Course dates	Various - 3 days	Course times	10-5
No of sessions	3	No of places	7
Course cost	£385		
Tutor	Silvina Soria		
Tutor Biography	Silvina Soria is a Sculptor Professor with an Argentinian degree who moved to London many years ago. You can see some of Silvina's work at www.soriasilvina.com . Silvina also designs and produces sculptural jewellery which can be viewed here: www.silvinasoriadesign.com She will do the best to adapt to your needs and help you with your projects.		
What will I learn	On this course, no matter what your background - whether you are thinking about a sculpture or have a design idea - you will learn the basics of MIG welding, grinding, rolling, bending, cutting and good workshop practice whilst realising your ideas/project. If you don't already have a project in mind - don't worry! Once we get going plenty of ideas will arise & the small group size allows for 1:1 time with the tutor during the 3 days of the course. Advanced students will continue personal projects and research new techniques and processes.		
What will I do Day 1, Day 2 etc	1st day - Morning introduction to safety practice in the workshop and the ABC of Welding. Get hands on and practice some welding. In the afternoon we will split in groups and produce a communal sculpture, experimenting with different welding scenarios. 2nd day - We will discuss individual students projects, with those who already have one, and we will discuss possibilities with those that are not sure yet. The rest of the day is spent working on your projects. 3rd day - Each student will be working on their own projects or/and continue with practising the welding process to gain more confidence.		
Additional information	Please note there will be a 1 hour lunch break each day (lunch not provided) Basic materials are all included Open to all levels including beginners. No sculpture experience is required. Health and Safety briefing will be given		
What will I need to bring	Please bring a notebook/sketchbook and any design ideas you may already have It is essential to wear old clothes and strong footwear		